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Water-supply and drainage schemss

*436 Q.—SRI P. G. MANICKAM : கனம் ரெவினியு அமைச்சர் அவர்கள் தயவுசெய்து பதிலளிப்பாரா—

இரண்டாவது ஐந்தாண்டு திட்டக் காலத்திலே ஒவ்வொரு வருஷத்திலும் எந்தெந்த முனிசிபாலிடிகளிலும், பஞ்சாயத்துப் போர்டுகளிலும் wa er-supply and drainage-களை எடுத்து நடத்தப்படவேண்டுமென்று 1947-ல் நியமிக்கப்பட்ட water-supply and drainage committee யால் தெரிவிக்கப்பட்டிருக்கின்றன ?

THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU : The water supply and drainage committee did not make any recommendation in the matter.

"Hard of Hearing Clinic"

* 437 Q.—SRI T. S. RAMASWAMY PILLAI (on behalf of Sri M. Jagannathan) : Will the Hon. the Minister for Revenue be pleased to state—

(a) the steps taken to get the "Hard of Hearing Clinic" in the Government General Hospital, Madras, well equipped and well manned; and

(b) (i) the number of cases that have attended the clinic in 1957-58;

(ii) the number of cases for which fenestration was done in the above year; and

(iii) the number of cases for which surgical repair of drum was done in the same year?

THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU : (a) During the year 1958 the "Hard of Hearing Clinic" in the Government General Hospital, Madras had the following improvements :—

(i) A sound proof room has been constructed where the hearing is tested more accurately.

(ii) An operating microscope called 'Otoscope' has been purchased and put into use.

(iii) A new audiometer has been ordered and is expected soon.

(iv) A post of Audiometrician has been sanctioned.

(v) A sectional library has been set up.

(b) 862, 12 and 21 respectively.

Government Tuberculosis Sanatorium at Tambaram.

* 438 Q.—SRI S. B. ADITYAN : Will the Hon. the Minister for Revenue be pleased to state—

(a) how many patients are admitted on an average per month, in the Government Tuberculosis Sanatorium at Tambaram; and

(b) how many days, on an average a patient has to be on the waiting list before he gets admissions into the Sanatorium?